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R 261517Z JAN 77 FM AMEMBASSY MOSCOW TO SECSTATE WASHDC 3502 INFO AMEMBASSY ISLAMABAD AMEMBASSY KABUL AMEMBASSY NEW DELHI AMEMBASSY TEHRAN

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E.O. 11652: GDS TAGS: PFOR, AF, UR

SUBJECT: DAOUD TO VISIT MOSCOW IN MARCH

REF: MOSCOW 711

1. BRITISH AMBASSADOR SMITH, AT QUADRIPARTITE MEETING JAN 25, SAID HE HAD TALKED WITH NEW AFGHAN AMBASSADOR, DR. ALI AHMED POPAL, ON JAN 24 ABOUT BREZHNEV'S MEETING THAT DAY WITH MUHAMMED NAIM, PRESIDENT DAOUD'S BROTHER. POPAL TOLD SMITH THAT THE MAIN POINT OF NAIM'S TALKS WAS TO ARRANGE DATES FOR DAOUD'S VISIT TO MOSCOW.

2. THE AFGHANS HAD WANTED DAOUD TO COME BY MID-DECEMBER, BUT THE SOVIETS FOUND THAT TIMING INCONVENIENT AND PROPOSED JAN 4, THIS WAS NOT GOOD FOR DAOUD, SO NOW THE TWO SIDES HAD AGREED ON THE END OF MARCH, SAID POPAL.

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